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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of: ) Group Art Unit 3722  
Thomas Becker ) Examiner: Monica Smith Carter  
Application No. 10/039,566 )  
Filed: November 9, 2001 )  
For: DIRECT MAILING DEVICE )

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**PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH  
EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

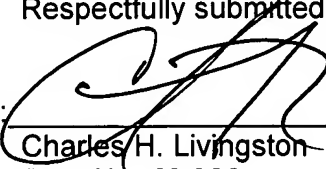
Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the period for response to the Office Action dated January 9, 2004, for three months to July 9, 2004, to accommodate the continuation application which is being filed simultaneously herewith.

Applicant submits Form PTO-2038 in the amount of \$475.00 to cover the extension fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or to charge any deficiency in a required fee to Deposit Account No. 19-3140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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